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Michael L. Retzer, Treasurer Republican National Committee 310 First Street SE Washington, DC 20003

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Amended 30 Day Post-General Report (10/17/02-11/25/02), received

9/10/03

Dear Mr. Retzent

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

Memo Schedule A of your non-federal account named the "Republican National State Elections Committee" discloses receipts totaling \$4,020,000 from the Republican Governors Association. However, your non-federal account named the "Republican Governors Association Conference" does not disclose a corresponding transfer(s) of this amount on a memo Schedule B. Please provide clarifying information regarding the source of the transfer received by your committee and amend your report if necessary.

A response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. Electronic filers must file emendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

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